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FOREIGN AND INSULAR.

BARBADOS.

Smallpox present.

BARBADOS, WEST INDIES, *July 29, 1902.*

SIR: I have to inform the Department that smallpox has again made its appearance in this island, there being now 15 cases strictly isolated at the quarantine station, located on Pelican Island, separate from the mainland. Should the disease become epidemic I will at once cable the Department. The prevailing opinion among the physicians is that the disease is under control and will not become epidemic. No deaths have been reported by the board of health.

Respectfully,

S. A. MACALLISTER,
United States Consul.

The ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE.

BRAZIL.

Reports from Bahia.

BAHIA, BRAZIL, *July 14, 1902.*

SIR: I beg leave to report that for the week ended July 12, 1902, there were reported in Bahia 133 deaths. The following were the causes of death: Aneurism, 1; arterio-sclerosis, 8; beriberi, 4; bronchitis, 7; cirrhosis of the liver, 4; diarrhea and dysentery, 4; enteritis, 2; malarial fevers, 6; gastritis, 9; meningitis, 1; senile debility, 4; Bright's disease, 1; nephritis, 3; stillborn, 5; pneumonia, 1; syphilis, 1; tetanus, 1; tuberculosis, 13, and from other causes, 58.

Respectfully,

H. W. FURNISS,
United States Consul.

The SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.

BAHIA, BRAZIL, *July 21, 1902.*

SIR: I beg leave to report that for the week ended July 19, 1902, there were reported 88 deaths in the city of Bahia. The causes of death were the following: Aneurism, 1; arterio-sclerosis, 2; beriberi, 3; bronchitis, 1; cirrhosis of the liver, 4; diarrhea and dysentery, 3; enteritis, 1; malarial fevers, 5; typhoid fever, 2; gastritis, 4; hepatitis, 3; senile debility, 2; Bright's disease, 1; nephritis, 2; stillborn, 6; tetanus, 1; tuberculosis, 10, and from other causes, 37.

Respectfully,

H. W. FURNISS,
United States Consul.

The SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.

BAHIA, BRAZIL, *July 28, 1902.*

SIR: I beg leave to report that for the week ended July 26, 1902, there were reported 100 deaths in Bahia. The causes of death were the

following: Aneurism, 1; arterio-sclerosis, 2; beriberi, 2; bronchitis, 4; cirrhosis of liver, 1; diarrhea, 1; malarial fevers, 5; typhoid, 2; gastritis, 8; hepatitis, 3; meningitis, 2; senile debility, 1; Bright's disease, 1; nephritis, 1; stillborn, 6; pneumonia, 1; peritonitis, 1; tetanus, 2; whooping cough, 1; tuberculosis, 15, and from other causes, 40.

Respectfully,

H. W. FURNISS,
United States Consul.

The SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.

BRITISH HONDURAS.

Weekly report of conditions and transactions at Belize—Fruit port.

BELIZE, BRITISH HONDURAS, *August 3, 1902.*

SIR: I have the honor to make the following report of the conditions and transactions at this port during the week ended August 3, 1902:

Population according to census of 1901, 9,113; present officially estimated population, about 7,000. Number of cases and deaths from yellow fever during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from smallpox during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from typhus fever during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from cholera during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from plague during the week, none; number of deaths from other causes during the week, 5. Causes of death: Appendicitis, 1; phthisis pulmonalis, 1; ichthyosis, 1, and natural causes, 2. General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

Bills of health were issued to the following vessels: July 31, steamship *Managua*; crew, 17; passengers from this port, none; passengers in transit, none; baggage disinfected, 5 trunks. August 1, steamship *Breakwater*; crew, 34; passengers from this port, 7; passengers in transit, 16; baggage disinfected, 16 pieces.

Respectfully,

R. H. PETERS,
Acting Assistant Surgeon.

The SURGEON-GENERAL.

BRITISH WEST INDIES.

Trinidad quarantines against Barbados.

TRINIDAD, BRITISH WEST INDIES, *July 27, 1902.*

SIR: I beg respectfully to report for the information of the Department of State the prevalence of smallpox at the island of Barbados, and that the Trinidad government have imposed quarantine against the said island. Bills of health are issued at this consulate bearing an indorsement to that effect.

Respectfully,

ALVIN SMITH,
United States Consul.

The ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE.

CANADA.

Inspection of immigrants at Quebec for the week ended August 9, 1902.

QUEBEC, CANADA, *August 10, 1902.*

SIR: I have the honor to report that for the week ended Saturday, August 9, 302 immigrants were inspected at this port, as follows: Number passed, 293; detained, 9. * * *

Respectfully,

W. C. BILLINGS,
Assistant Surgeon.

The SURGEON-GENERAL.